

# YOUR PROBLEMS

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## 'How Did He Get Away With This? ...'

Dear Ann Landers: Your column has had numerous letters dealing with mother-in-law problems. This one is about a father-in-law.

My husband's father is refined, educated and devoted to his family. He also has a very high opinion of himself. He enjoys playing the role of counselor and priest. When a member of the family gets out of line or appears to be having a problem he writes them long letters of advice. Perhaps this is commendable but he doesn't realize that unsolicited advice can be resented.

It wouldn't be so bad if he just sent the advice but he sends carbon copies of his letters (as well as copies of the replies) to other members of the family.

One of our married sons is having marital difficulties. The carbons and copies are flying thick and fast. Our son and his wife are furious. They didn't ask for his advice and they never intended that their replies be circulated.

We hate to offend the old gentleman but we wish he would stop it. Any suggestions will be appreciated.

Dear E. T.: And pray tell, how long has your father-in-law been able to get away with this? He must be very rich.

At some point someone ought to say, "Thanks a lot but please don't write me any more of your supreme court decisions." And this should be said on the telephone or in person. Any one who puts everything in writing to this self-appointed oracle is clearly out of his mind.

Dear Ann Landers: I dated an extremely attractive and lively young woman for several months. I happen to be the generous type. When I court a young woman I enjoy giving her flowers, gifts and lots of little surprises. You may think I'm a chump but I derive great pleasure from giving.

Last week this young lady told me I am a bore and to please get lost. This is perfectly all right with me but I feel that it is only fair that she return some of my valuable gifts. To be specific I have asked for the hi-fi set, the pearl ring and necklace and the little black sweater with the white fox collar.

The young lady is only 19 years of age and she doesn't know it's a sign of good upbringing to return gifts when the romance is over. I've tried to educate her along these lines but she told me to go climb a weed. What can I do about this grasping, immature chisler? — **BADLY BURNED**

Dear Burned: Since you give for the sheer pleasure of giving, you've already reaped your reward — what more do you want?

Gifts presented during  
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## Rotary Anns Hold First Fall Meet

Torrance Rotary Anns held their first meeting of the season last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene De Bra in Rolling Hills.

Following a luncheon served by the hostess, a business meeting was conducted with the new officers in charge. Mrs. John Schmidt is serving as president. On her board are Mrs. W. E. Bowen, vice president; Mrs. William Jameson, secretary; Mrs. Daniel Ryan, treasurer, and Mrs. Leonard Ensminger, past president.

Plans were made for a luncheon meeting on Nov. 15 at the home of Mrs. Donald Armstrong in Palos Verdes. A guest speaker will present an interesting program on Christmas decorations and gift wrapping.

A Christmas party will also be planned at this meeting.



**WITCHES' WHIRL** . . . Torrance Welcome Wagon Club will hold a masquerade dinner dance at the Jump'n Jack restaurant Saturday evening. Costumed guests will arrive at 7:30 to enjoy "witches brew," followed by dinner and dancing. Door prizes will be awarded during the evening and there will be costume prizes. Setting a "spooky" mood for the party are, from left, Mmes. Stan Rappaport, Stephen Rathkipf, James Moffett, LeRoy Herold and Hal Korell. Mrs. Gale Lowder, 5503 Michelle Dr. is taking reservations.

## Clubwomen Will Attend Philippine Style Show

Marina District, CFWC, will present a Philippine Fashion show and luncheon at the Inglewood Woman's club, 325 N. Hillcrest Blvd. in Inglewood, on Tuesday, Oct. 30. Members from the Torrance Woman's Club attending the district event will be Mmes. Alma Smith, Roy Apsey, H. L. Mitchell, Lillian Dunhouse, Leroy Pulliam, John Warnock, Fred Sandstrom.

Others are Mmes. Marie Beale, J. P. Bay, Leonorus Stamps, R. S. Russell, John W. Thuss, and Mildred Evans. Mrs. Alma Smith is ticket

## West's Home From Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Walter West, 2034 Reynosa Dr., returned home Wednesday from a four weeks vacation trip across the continent, visiting capitals and touring the scenic portions of the states enroute.

Driving east, they visited the Petrified Forest in Arizona, historic places in New Mexico, Oklahoma and into the Ozark area in Missouri and on to Kentucky where they spent five days visiting Mrs. West's relatives. Their itinerary took them on to West Virginia and to Colonial Williamsburg. After a complete tour of Williamsburg, they traveled to Washington, D.C., spending several days there.

On the return trip the Wests traveled Route 66 to Knigman, Ariz., turning north for several days in Las Vegas.



**MRS. JAMES H. FELD**  
... Former Kathleen Ryle  
(Portrait by Seeman)



**MARY ANN FRISINO**  
... Accepts Ring

## Mary Frisino Will Marry James Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frisino, 25401 Narbonne Ave., Lomita, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to James Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hunter, 26320 Fairview Ave., Lomita.

The future bride attended Bishop Montgomery High school and will be graduated from a Long Beach Beauty College next month.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Serra High in Gardena. He is employed as an apprentice by a Los Angeles plumbing firm.

No date has been set for the wedding.

## Houseguests

Dr. and Mrs. Gerson A. Jacobson, 2913 W. Carson, had as their guests for several days, Mrs. Sabin Levenson and sons, Clifford and Keith of Boston. The visitors left Wednesday for their home.

## Ryle-Feld Nuptials Are Read at St. Philomena's

At a 9 o'clock nuptial mass and ceremony at the St. Philomena Catholic Church on Saturday, Oct. 20, Miss Kathleen Ryle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd L. Ryle, 22833 Broadwell Ave., became the bride of James H. Feld. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Feld of Los Angeles.

As the guests assembled, Mrs. Pat Jones, organist, accompanied Mrs. Mike Marinovich as she sang "On This Day" and "Ave Maria." Rev. James Rhodes officiated at the marriage.

Mr. Ryle escorted his daughter to the altar. She wore a gown of lace and tulle, fashioned with a bateau neckline, long pointed sleeves and floor length skirt with tiers of tulle down the back of the skirt. A seed pearl crown held her fingertip veil and she carried a cascade of white orchids and orange blossoms.

Miss Carol Ann Ryle was her sister's maid of honor. She wore aqua silk organza and carried an aqua carnation

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**MARCIA CHAMBERLAIN**  
... Sets Date  
(Portrait by Seeman)

## Engagement Announced At Dinner

At a recent dinner party for family and close friends, Mr. and Mrs. Morris E. Chamberlain, 2319 W. 249th St., Lomita, announced the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Charline, to Gerald Lee Easton.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Narbonne High School and Harbor College, is employed as a dental assistant in Redondo Beach. Miss Chamberlain is a past honored queen of Job's Daughters, Bethel 137.

Her fiancé, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Easton of Jackson, Mich., was graduated from Western High school in Parma, Mich., in 1961. He is currently stationed at the Naval Amphibious Base at Coronado and plans to continue his education at the University of Michigan.

The wedding will take place on Jan. 4, 1963.

## Eli Kuhns Sail Friday for Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Eli C. Kuhns, 22963 Cabrillo Ave., will sail tomorrow aboard the Matson Lines' liner Lurline for a three weeks vacation in Hawaii. The couple will entertain at a cocktail party aboard ship prior to sailing.

Mr. Kuhns has been with National Supply Co. for the past 43 years where he presently is warehouse manager. Mrs. Kuhns is affiliated with the Vaughn Realty Co. here.

## Jana Deanne Davey Now Mrs. William Cooper, Jr.

Jana Deanne Davey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Frank Davey, 2436 W. 233rd St., Torrance, walked down the aisle of the South Bay Christian Church on the arm of her father, Saturday evening, Oct. 20, to plight her marriage vows with William Lawrence Cooper, Jr. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. William L. Cooper of Torrance.

The Rev. Donald Jarman

stood before a flower-banked altar to officiate at the candlelight service. Carol Downey, at the organ, played a medley of nuptial music and accompanied Suelien Patrick, soloist.

For her wedding, the bride chose a gown of white pearl de sole covered with re-embroidered organza. The gown was fashioned with a scoop neckline and short sleeves. At the waistline, a white cummerbund was tied in a butterfly bow at the back and the full skirt fell into a chapel train. A pearl tiara held the silk illusion veil. The bridal bouquet was made of white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Peggy Webb, wearing gold brocade with a short bell skirt, was the maid of honor. She carried gold, white and rust chrysanthemums.

Bridesmaids were Misses Dyan Shaver and Pamela Davey. They were gowned in champagne and gold brocade and carried chrysanthemums. Eddy Gorlick performed the duties of best man and ushers were Ray Sebben and Gary Worrall.

A reception was held in the church lounge and Elissa Davey was in charge of the guest book.

The newlyweds are now on a honeymoon at the Grand Canyon. Their new address is 336 S. 20th St., Long Beach.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School. Her husband, a graduate of South High School, attended El Camino College. He is now serving with the United States Coast Guard.



**DATES MIXED?** . . . Mrs. Dave Ponsonby, witch, is a little confused on the dates of the Y-Wives Halloween party and their New Members' tea. She is being told that the spooky party is Saturday evening and the tea will take place next Tuesday, by Mrs. Dennis Beyersdorff and Mrs. Nick Flamenco.

## City of Hope Rummage Sale Set Oct. 26-27

Torrance Chapter, City of Hope, will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, Oct. 26 and 27, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 1526 Cravens St., Torrance.

Mrs. Fred Ball Jr., ways and means chairman, heading the project will be assisted by Mrs. Mack Brown and Mrs. Morris Brahlin, co-chairman. Other members of the chapter will help with the sale.

Rummage may be delivered to 1526 Cravens St. on Thursday, Oct. 25, at 7:30 p.m. or Friday, Oct. 26, at 9 a.m.

Anyone desiring rummage pick-up may call Mrs. Fred Ball, 3417 W. 227th St. All proceeds from this sale will be given to the City of Hope Hospital, for research and treatment of heart, cancer, leukemia and respiratory diseases.

## Saunders Host Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. S. Robert Saunders, 5128 Merrill St. entertained at dinner Saturday evening at their home. Their guests were Dr. and Mrs. Donald Salk, Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Cole, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allingham of Torrance; and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blum of Brentwood.

## Costume Party, Tea

## Torrance Y-Wives Slate Social Events

Y-Wives of the Torrance YWCA will conclude their month of October activities with two events, a Halloween party on Saturday evening, Oct. 27, at the Y and a New Members' Tea next Tuesday morning, Oct. 30, also at the YWCA, 2320 Carson St. A buffet of hot dogs, baked beans, cider and doughnuts followed by dancing will highlight Saturday's party, which will begin at 6:30 p.m. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

The New Members' Tea on Tuesday will replace the regular Tuesday morning meeting. Members and guests will gather at 9:30 a.m. for a guided tour of the Poppytrail Pottery plant in Torrance. The group will then return to the Y for tea followed by the regular program.

All women of the area who would enjoy a once-a-week meeting opened with an hour of exercises, followed by a

program of informative speakers, refreshments and many other activities are invited to join the Y-Wives.

Potential members are asked to attend next Tuesday's affair by coming to the YWCA at 9:30 a.m. Free child care is always provided.

## Las Vegas Trip

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Boswell, 2842 Onrado, spent last weekend in Las Vegas. The Boswells joined five couples from their Los Angeles bridge club for the trip.



**MRS. WILLIAM COOPER, JR.**  
... On Honeymoon  
(Portrait by Seeman)